



UNITED STATES POSTAL INSPECTION SERVICE

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OFFICE OF COUNSEL

May 10, 2019

Mr. Russ Kick  
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RE: FOIA No. 2019-FPIS-00223

Dear Mr. Kick:

This is in further reference to your email dated April 15, 2019, requesting, pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, access to certain records that may be in the custody of the U.S. Postal Inspection Service regarding the FOIA request log covering 2018, that includes the subject of each request and the final disposition.

Enclosed are seven pages of record material which can be released to you. Certain deletions have been made to this material pursuant to title 5, United States Code, section 552(b)(6), where release of personnel and similar files would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

If you have any questions regarding the handling of your request, please contact the Inspection Service FOIA Requester Service Center at (202) 268-7004 between the hours of 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. (Eastern Standard Time) or by email at [FOIA@uspis.gov](mailto:FOIA@uspis.gov).

If you consider this response to be a denial of your request for records, you have the right to appeal this response by writing to the General Counsel, U.S. Postal Service, 475 L'Enfant Plaza, SW, Washington, DC 20260-1135, within 90 days of the date of this response letter or via email at [FOIAAppeal@usps.gov](mailto:FOIAAppeal@usps.gov). Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within 90 days of the date of the response to your request. The letter of appeal should include: (1) A copy of the request, any notification of denial or other action, and any other related correspondence; (2) The FOIA tracking number assigned to the request; (3) A statement of the action, or failure to act, from which the appeal is taken; (4) A statement identifying the specific redactions to responsive records that you are challenging; (5) A statement of the relief sought; and (6) A statement of the reasons why you believe the action or failure to act is erroneous.

Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) which was created to offer mediation services to resolve disputes between FOIA requesters and Federal agencies as a non-exclusive alternative to litigation. Using OGIS services does not affect your right to pursue litigation. You may contact OGIS in any of the following ways: write to the Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, MD 20740-6001; email to [ogis@nara.gov](mailto:ogis@nara.gov); call (202) 741-5770 (toll-free (877) 684-6448); fax to 202-741-5769.

Sincerely,

/s/

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Enclosures